

## ABSTRACT

A receiver includes a program acceptor for accepting program contents and a program identifier to identify the  
5 program contents, a display unit for displaying the program contents, and an input acceptor for accepting an input from a user. The receiver also includes a display attribute acquisition unit for obtaining a display attribute by which the program contents are displayed, and a viewing information  
10 recorder for recording, on a removable recording medium, viewing information including the program identifier and the display attribute when the input acceptor accepts a predetermined user input. Therefore, the receiver can record the viewing information indicating that the user has viewed a  
15 specific program, on the removable recording medium.